

DECISION

Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 s.189—Arrangement for conduct of an election

Police Federation of Australia (E2025/161)

MR STEENSON

SYDNEY, 13 OCTOBER 2025

Arrangement for conduct of election.

[1] On 7 October 2025, the Australian Federal Police Association Branch of the Police Federation of Australia (the **organisation**) lodged with the Fair Work Commission prescribed information for an election to fill a casual vacancy in the following office for the remainder of the term:

Executive Member (1)

[2] I am satisfied that an election for the abovenamed office is required to be held under the rules of the organisation and, under subsection 189(3) of the *Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*, I am making arrangements for the conduct of the election by the Australian Electoral Commission.



DELEGATE OF THE GENERAL MANAGER

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PRESCRIBED INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS in accordance with Section 189 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 and Regulation 138 Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Regulations 2009

- I, Adrian Graeme Smith, being the Secretary/Treasurer of the AFPA Branch of the Police Federation of Australia (PFA) make the following statement:
- 1. I am authorised to sign this statement containing prescribed information for the AFPA Branch of the Police Federation of Australia.
- 2. The following information is lodged under subsection 189(1) of the Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009 (the RO Act).
- 3. The elections that are required are set out in the table in Annexure A.
- 4. No rule alterations are pending that will impact the election.
- 5. This statement IS lodged at least 2 months before nominations open for the election(s) in Annexure A.



Signed:

Adrian Smith

Secretary/Treasurer

Dated: 7 October 2025

Annexure A

• Elections that are required [insert as many pages as required]

Branch	Name of Office	Number required	Voting System	Reason for Election	Electorate
AFPA Branch PFA	Executive Member	1	Collegiate electoral system	Resignation	AFPA Branch Rule 94 (4) (a) (ii)

• Important dates:

	Collegiate Electoral System
Nominations OPEN	To be determined with the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC). AFPA Branch Rule 94 (4) (b)
Nominations CLOSE	To be determined with the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC). AFPA Branch Rule 94 (4) (b)

Roll of Voters cut off date	To be determined by the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC). AFPA Branch Rule 94 (4) (b).		

NOTES:

Mr Nicholas Bryce submitted his resignation from the AFPA National Executive on 17 September 2025.

Mr Bryce was elected to the AFPA National Executive at the 2025 AFPA National Council. Election E2024/162 refers.